

**UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA**

Patrick J. Lyons, :
 : Bankruptcy No. 17-12550
 :
 Plaintiff, :
 : ADV. PRO. NO 18-00042
 :
 v. :
 :
 M & T BANK, :
 :
 Defendant :
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JOINT STATEMENT

The undersigned, counsel to Plaintiff and Defendant, decline to participate in the court annexed mediation program.

DATE: April 19, 2018

/s/ Alaine V. Grbach
Alaine V. Grbach, Esquire
Attorney for Plaintiff-Debtor

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/s/ Kevin McDonald
Kevin McDonald, Esquire
Attorney for Defendant-Creditor